



Steak Fry
Friday, Dec. 5
5:30-8 p.m.
American Legion
502 E. Penn,
Hoopeston
Steak - \$10

**1998 Festival
T-shirts &
Sweatshirts**
"Here Comes
Corn-niverous"
Global Fashions
208 E. Main
Hoopeston



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Hosted by Hoopeston Jaycees

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Hoopeston Public Library announces arrival of new books

New books have arrived at the Hoopeston Public Library, including:

Fiction: "A Virtuous Woman" by Kaye Gibbons (Oprah's Book Club); "Ellen Foster" by Kaye Gibbons (Oprah's Book Club); "The Music Box" by T. Davis Bunn (large print); "Certain Poor Shepherds" by Elizabeth Marshall Thomas (large print); "The Rise of Endymion" by Dan Simmons (science fiction); "Endymion" by Dan Simmons (science fiction); "Survival of the Fittest" by Jonathan Kellerman and "Promise Me Tomorrow" by Lori Wick.

Also, "The Bondmaid" by Catherine Lim, "All I Need is You" by Johanna Lindsey; "Cat & Mouse" by James Patterson; "The Ghost" by Danielle Steel; "Driving Blind" by Ray Bradbury (story collection); "Come the Spring" by Julie Garwood; "Unfinished Symphony" by V. C. Andrews; and "The Gratitude of Kings" by Marion Zimmer Bradley (science fiction).

Nonfiction: "Madam Secretary" by Thomas Blood;
See BOOKS on other side

Books continued from other side

Candidates may begin filing election petitions: clerk

Anyone wanting to run for office in 1988 may file petitions in the Vermilion County clerk's office beginning at 8 a.m. Monday.

Candidates who will file petitions for nomination or election in the March 17, 1998 primary election include those running for sheriff, county clerk, treasurer, supervisor of assessments, regional school superintendent, record, board of review, county board and precinct committeepeople.

Those with completed paperwork who are in line at

the clerk's office at 8 a.m. Monday will have their documents filed and time-stamped. Ballot position for the general primary election will be determined by time of filing, said county clerk Lynn Foster, adding ties will be determined by a drawing.

The last day to file is 5 p.m. Monday, Dec. 15.

The clerk's office is on the first floor of the Courthouse Annex, Danville.

For more information, call Foster at (217) 431-2607 or 431-2614.

**Santa will be at Global Fashions Saturday
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First Christian Church
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Saturday, Dec. 6 11 a.m.-1 p.m.
Adults: \$6 Children 6-13: \$3 Under 6: Free




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20%
Off**

**Santa
will be here
10-11 a.m.
Saturday**




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Hoopeston Area grade schools

MONDAY: Corn dog, tri tator, pears, pudding, milk.
TUESDAY: Taco/shell, lettuce, tomato, cheese, peaches, graham cracker, milk.
WEDNESDAY: Chicken steak, whipped potatoes, green beans, bread, margarine, pineapple, milk.
THURSDAY: Sausage pizza, salad, applesauce, milk.
FRIDAY: Z rib/bun, corn, slaw, fruit cocktail, milk.

Hoopeston Area High/Middle schools

MONDAY: Corn dog or chicken patty/bun, tri tator, pears, pudding, milk.
TUESDAY: Taco/shell or fish/bun, salad, peaches, cookie, milk.

"James Herriot" by Graham Lord; "Classic American Cars" by Quentin Wilson "The Girls With the Grandmother Faces" by Frances Weaver (large print); "Joy of Cooking" by Irma von Starkloff Rombauer; and "The B Student's (or lower) Complete Scholarship Book"; "The Guinness Book of World Records, 36th edition."



New Year's Eve Dance

December 31 9 p.m.- 1 a.m.

Hoopeston American Legion

502 E. Penn, Hoopeston
Party Favors Champagne 50-50 Raffle
\$10 per person

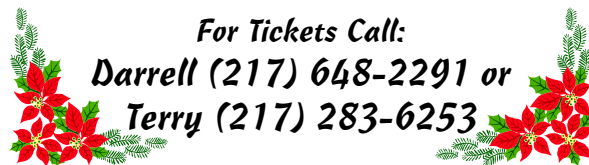
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Lunch Menus



WEDNESDAY: Chicken steak or hot dog/bun, whipped potatoes, green beans, roll, margarine, pineapple, milk.

THURSDAY: Sausage pizza or turkey/bun, salad, applesauce, milk.

FRIDAY: Z rib/bun or ham & cheese/bun, corn, slaw, fruit cocktail, milk.

Rossville-Alvin schools

MONDAY: Mesquite beef patty, corn, au gratin potatoes, mandarin oranges, milk.

TUESDAY: Hot dog/Polish/bun, baked beans, fresh fruit salad, pretzels, milk.

WEDNESDAY: Macaroni & cheese, ham slice

And "How to Set Limits" by Elizabeth C. Vinton; "Job Hunting Made Easy by Carole Sonneblick; "Warman's Americana & Collectibles" by Ellen T. Schroy; "How to File Your Own Divorce" by Edward A. Haman; "When Holidays are Hell--!" by Mariana Caplan; "What Color is Your Parachute?" by Richard Nelson Bolles; "How to Make Use of a Useless Degree" by Andrew Frothingham; "Leaning into the Wind" Women Write From the Heart of the West; "The Big Book of Flower Gardening" by Time-Life Books; "It's Nobody's Fault" by Harold S. Koplewicz; "Low-Fat & Luscious Vegetarian" by Better Homes & Gardens and "The Game I Love" by Sam Snead.

In the Hospital



Hoopeston Community Memorial Hospital
Dec. 3, 1997

Admitted: Vera Duffin, Jose Zamarripa and Edna Nell, Hoopeston.

Discharged: Bennie Blankenship

Weather



Chance of flurries today and tomorrow. Highs30, lows 20. Sunday, partly cloudy. High 33, low 20

For current weather conditions, call the Hoopeston Weather Line at (217) 283-6221.

broccoli, fruit, bread, butter, milk

THURSDAY: Salisbury steak, whipped potatoes, gravy, rosy applesauce, homemade biscuit, milk.

FRIDAY: Beef & noodles, green beans, fruit, no bake cookie, milk (Lucky Tray Day, K-5).

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Half-price sale at Resale Mart, 227 E. Main, Hoopeston. All clothing, purses, shoes. Next bake sale, Dec. 20. For advance orders, call (217) 283-5258 or 283-7509 after 5 p.m. 338-364

SALE - Crafts, collectibles, Christmas gifts. Saturday, Dec. 6, 9 a.m.-2 p.m. County Road 1830 East, 2 miles south of Rt. 9.

HELP WANTED

Bartender, Hoopeston American Legion. Will start after Jan. 1. Approximately 15-20 hours/week. Apply in person.

HOMES FOR RENT

1-bedroom home. \$300/mo. plus deposit. Call (217) 283-6025. 336-342